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The following is a report

for July, on selected items
of industrial production:

Electrical power	1,915,100,000	K.W.H.
Pit coal	218,400	tons
Raw lignite	13,668,600	"
Lignite briquettes	3,565,400	"
Lignite low temperature coke	20,122	tons
Iron ore	36,060	tons
Copper ore	1,490	"
Potassium salt	112,800	"
Pyrites	10,500	"
Pig iron	95,000	"
Raw steel in ingots	179,800	"
Hot rolled steel including semifinished products	119,400	"
Refined and electrolytical copper	2,197	"
Non-ferrous metal rolled products	7,180	"
Sedans	1,137	units
Trucks	777	"
Wheel type tractors	620	"
Track laying tractors	120	"
A.C. motors about 100 k.w.	133	"
Sulphuric acid	27,022	tons
Calcined soda	22,831	"
Caustic soda	18,030	"
Calcium carbide	57,731	"
Calcined alumina	2,897	"
Nitrogenous fertilizer	21,050	"
Phosphorous fertilizer	5,510	"
Synthetic rubber	4,493	"
Motor vehicle tires	51,200	units
Gasoline	55,950	tons
Diesel oil	52,700	"
Cement	192,400	"
Artificial silk	1,653	"
Cellulose fibre	8,930	"
All kinds of paper	33,326	"

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Comment. Comparison of the figures for the iron and steel production indicates an output of 95,000 tons of pig iron, 179,800 tons of raw steel, and 119,400 tons of rolled steel in July, and 87,325 tons of pig iron, 154,368 tons of raw steel, and 87,329 tons of rolled steel in April. These figures show that in spite of the new course, the production was considerably increased rather than decreased. 50X1-HUM

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